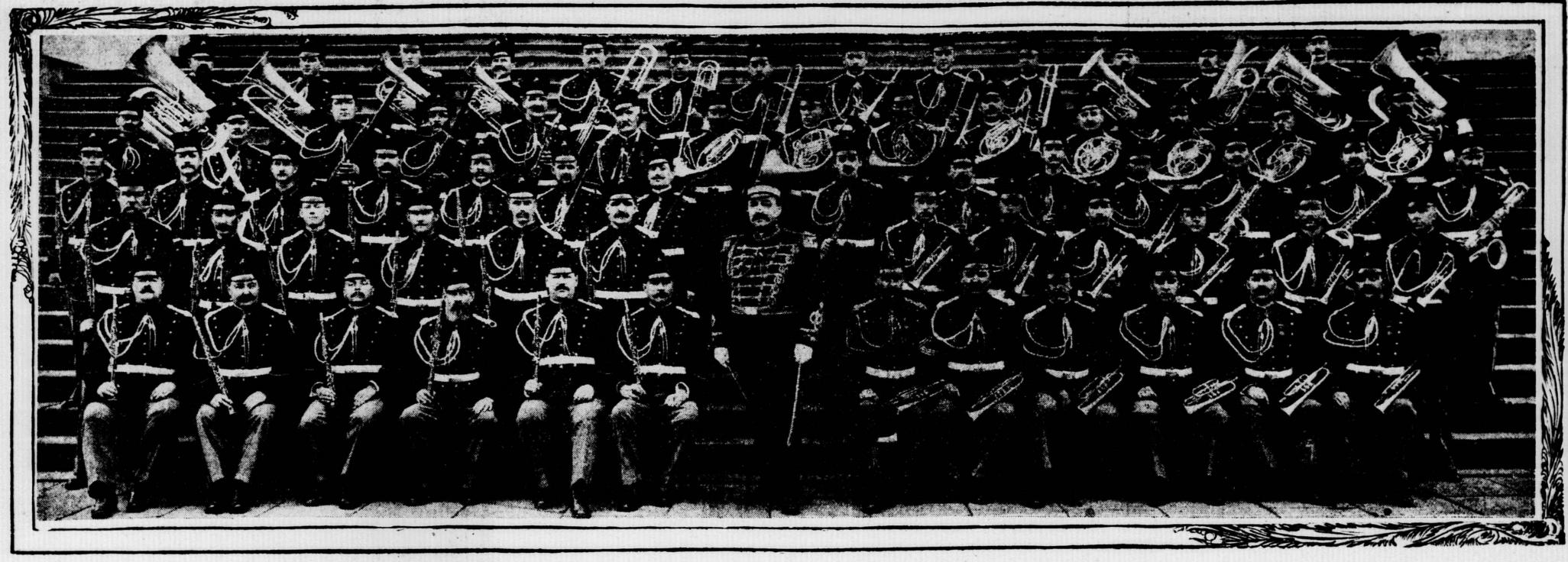
HAS AN INTERNATIONAL REPUTATION---THE UNITED STATES MARINE BAND.



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LIEUT. SANTELMANN AND HIS RED-COATED MUSICIANS.

MARINE BAND IN WEST

Permission for the Organization to Give Concerts.

REQUESTED BY TWO CITIES

Members Granted Furlough From September 27 to October 2.

OF ORGANIZATION HISTORY

Under Act of Con-

gress.

States Marine Corps, the citizens of present position. Mitchell, S. D., recently petitioned the pay of a first lieutenant in the Marine also.

In view of the fact that the Marine Eand is classed as one of the best musical Walter F. Smith, the second leader of organizations in the world, and that many the band, was born in Vernon county, of the western residents of this country Md. He removed with his parents to have never had an opportunity to hear Michigan when he was three years of it play, the citizens of Mitchell, knowing age. He enlisted in the United States there will be a large attendance of west- Marine Corps Band November 5, 1885, and erners in that city during the coming when a vacancy occurred was appointed the work was put in charge of Capt. celebration, took the action stated. The second leader. For over seven years Mr. members of the band have been granted Smith played the solo cornet in the band Babcock, superintendent of public buildfurlough from September 27 to October under John Philip Sousa. Upon the ap- ings and grounds. Bids were obtained 2. so that they can take the western pointment of Fanciulli to the leadership for this bridge, to come within this limit trip. William H. Santelmann, the leader, Smith was granted a discharge, and was and the Phoenix Bridge Company of

capacity of a marine band, until Lieut, and Navy Union. Col. Archibald Henderson of the Marine Corps brought to this country from Napies, Italy, thirteen Italian musicians, who were enlisted as drummers and fifers. From the Springfield Republican. general musical service. These Italian of the splendid organization of today.

Open-Air Concerts in 1854.

There is no record of the band having open-air concerts at the White House marks the giving by Mrs. Sage surpasses and Capitol grounds were inaugurated, that employed by the other holders of idents of Anacostia. The band was then under the leadership of her recent undertakings is the erecof Francis Scala. In 1856 Congress voted tion of a large number of cottages near extra compensation to the members of her home at Cedarhurst, L. L. which such an extent that Col. John Harris, ceed \$12 a month. Mrs. Sage last year amended to Congress that the organization, all occupied by happy families, and she which up to that time had been officially has just bought nearly fifty lots more known as a fife and drum corps, be upon which additional homes will be erectrated as a band, that provision be made ed. The cottages are well fashioned and for a principal musician and thirty mem-, fitted with modern improvements. It is to Recognizing the advisability of improv-

approved the recommendation of Col. Har- houses rent "like hot cakes." ris and July 25, 1861, President Lincoln affixed his signature to an act that marked the recognition by law of the derst band in the United States military From Everybody's Magazine.

Erancis Scala, the first leader, retired to legal the service December 13, 1871, and largely made up of the skeletens of once the following day Henry Fries was aps pointed principal musician, serving in living forms. Hence if it were not for principal musician, which position he held mountile October, 1880, when Philip Sousa wats appointed. He held the position until bacteria keeps life going by removing the a band of his own. Francesco Fanciulli was appointed as his successor November 1, 1892. and served until October 31, 1897.

Present Leader.

William II. Santelmann, the bresent leader, was appointed March 3, 1898. One year later, March 3, 1899, an act of Congress was approved by President Meband considerably. Cot. Charles Heycount of its importance in connection die for it?" with national and international affairs as But do bacteria produce only what this

seventy-three members. term of four years and are under mili- or arimal. Now three-liftle of the atmostary discipline. They are required to re-port for duty at 8:30 o'clock each morn- it may be imagined that we need not ing except Saturday and Sanday at the fear this source of supply giving out. marine barracks for guard mounting and parade. At 10 o'clock there is a re- Hoax-It's a good thing Methuselah hearsal until 12 o'clock.

For a long time there was considerable Joax-Why? the members of the band because of the known how old she really was .- Philadelfact that the ban! members were paid phia Record.

salaries by the United States government and at the same time received pay for playing for private parties.

Through a decision of the Attorney General, rendered in November of last year, he held that in the interpretation of the law of "navy bands" not being allowed to receive compensation for playing for private individuals, the Marine Band is not included in the act, and therefore its members can play and retherefore its members can play and re-ceive compensation from individuals. This question was fought for some time by the labor unions, and it was not

finally gave up the fight. Santelmann's Record.

the Marine Band, was born September 24, 1863, in Offensen, Hanover, Germany, He received his final education in practical and theoretical music in Leipzig, where he also served in the military band of the BUILT HIGH ABOVE WATER 131th Regiment of Infantry. He came to the United States in .887, and after com-Origin Dates Back to July 11, 1798, pleting a four-month engagement in Phil- Brief History of the Highway adelphia, Pa., enlisted in the Marine Eand. In September, 1895, he severed his connection with that organization and ormed an orchestra of his own. The following year he was appointed

leader of the Columbia Theater orchestra n this city, and after several years in Desiring to hear the band of the United that capacity he was-appointed to his Although Mr. Santelmann receives the

Secretary of the Navy to allow the Corps, he has never been commissioned epoch in the history of the southeast secorganization to give concerts at a cele- a lieutenant. In recognition of his effi- tion of Washington, showing the in- was riding across the old bridge just bration to be held in that city from Sep- cient work as leader of the Marine Band tember 27 to October 2. The permission he received the degree of doctor of music from the George Washington Universitywas granted. Citizens of Pittsburg, Pa., the first of the many leaders of the band also asked that the band be allowed to to be so honored. He is a Mason of high of 11th street southeast between Washplay at a celebration in that city from degree, a member of the order of B. P. October 11 to 23, inclusive, and it has O. Elks. Admiral Porter Garrison, No. 6, been decided to approve that request, hal and social organizations.

Second Leader Smith.

sunsequently a member of Sousa's band The Marine Band came into existence for four years. He re-enlisted in the Phoenixville, Pa., was the lowest bidder. From Tit-Bits, July 11, 1798, when, by an act of Congress Marine Band shortly after the appoint- That company constructed the bridge approved by President John Adams for ment of Mr. Santelmann, acting as second which is now about to be demolished. It establishing and organizing a Marine leader until March 3, 1890, when he was was then one of the most important iron at present of a "No Nose Club," or Corps, provision was made for sixteen officially rated under an act of Congress structures of the kind in the country and fifers, one to be appointed drum or fife of that date, and has served continuously major by the commandant of the corps. in that rating. He is a member of Ad- the time in which it was built. This dru.n and fife corps acted in the miral David Porter Garrison, No. 6, Army

Intelligent Philanthropy.

military duty until 1854, in which year humanity, and the intelligence which commandant of the Marine Corps, recom- built forty six-room cottages, which are be hoped that Mrs. Sage permits her tenants to buy their homes at reasonable ing the organization which furnished prices. The more such enterprises, freed music at the official functions in the from speculative greed, can be conducted White House and at the national and in the neighborhood of New York city. international affairs in general, Congress the better for the future. Mrs. Sage's

Microbes Make World Go.

Geologists tell us that, as it is, entire that capacity until his discharge, August bacteria, corpses would soon pile higher 24 1873. Louis Schneider was then made than the Andes, and the earth would be choked with its own dead. In other words July 30, 1892, when he was discharged at bodies of each generation to make room als own request that he might organize for the next. Thus life here begins with microbes and ends with them. Therefore, il this shows how in one way, at least, neteria are indispensable, and we ought to be disinterested enough to admire their activity in thus working for the good of posterity, since without them there would soon be no posterity. This reminds one. however. & the Hibernian, who when Kinley which improved the status of the told that if he died for old Ireland he would gain the applause of posterity, wood, commandant of the United States demurred with the words, "Faith, what Marine Corps, recommended that on ac- has posterity done for me that I should

a representative band, his organization be reatleman would term post-mortem beneincreased from thirty to sixty men. Ac- fits for us, or cannot they furnish us cordingly the band now consists of a with some anti-mortem ones? I am glad leader, with the pay and allowances of a to say that some varieties of bacteria that neutenant of the Marine Corps; a promise to increase our foodstuffs to an second leader, thirty first-class musi- extent difficult for us now to foretell, class, thirty second-class musicians, ten But this statement needs some explanaprivates and a drum major-a total of tion. In the first place, the chemical eleweventy-three members.

The members of the band enlist for a in our food, whether that be vegetable

wasn't a woman.

Structure Spans the Anacostia River.

decided until Secretary Bonaparte had IMPROVED MODERN DESIGN

Capable of Carrying Heaviest Cars in Use in District.

Which Is Soon to Be

Demolished.

steel bridge is accepted as marking a new The first record of a crossing at the foot

which was built at intervals, somewhat injured. Word was spread rapidly that across this river, making a connection be- tion. tween what is now Anacostia and the about 1875, when it was demolished to make way for a steel bridge.

for the construction of an iron bridge and navigation. was of the best design and materials of

vehicular travel, and for pedestrians, but practice of contradiction and of foul after the design was completed, it was language, so that the members might thought advisable to add sidewalks, which not be wanting in impudence to abuse was done without striking the trusses, so passengers on the Thames. that the bridge was really built, it is deat the marine barracks in this city for One of the most useful persons in the clared, with a lower factor of safety than lished once by young limbs of the law.

Cost of Removal.

A contract has been awarded for the amusing description was written by removal of the old bridge to Stewart one of its illustrious members: the band for those open-air concerts, are to be let to young working people at McNamara, who has agreed to do all These concerts grew in public favor to a low price, the rent of no cottage to ex- the necessary work for \$5.600, and not only will the steel superstructure be re-

within the bulkhead lines and all of the piles and rip-rap that will interfere with

bridge, through the delay in travel-for as long as twenty-five or thirty minutes at a time. The bridge was built at this great height in order to avoid a grade CHIEF crossing at the Baltimore and Ohio tracks on the Anacostia side, and a similar grade crossing of the Pennsylvania tracks on the city side, when their tracks are extended to the United States Denounces Arbitrary Arrest and navy yard, which work is expected to be done before many years.

Advantages of New Structure.

The advantages of the new structure over the old are that the new one is designed to carry cars very much heavier than those now in use, and to support the heaviest loads carried anywhere in Eyes of England Opened to Danthe city. The old bridge draw was operated by hand, requiring about ten minutes, with two or three men employed, whereas, the new bridge draw, being operated by electricity, can, when necessary, be raised and lowered in about The passing of the old Anacostia bridge two minutes, and when the proposed and the construction of the new concrete | motor is installed for operating the center pin, it should be operated in less time than at present.

It is related that a certain horseman creased tendency there toward beneficial before an appropriation for the new bridge was made. The workmen had torn up part of the flooring in making needed repairs. Not knowing of the opening, the rider and horse both went ington and Anacostia was an old trestle, into the hole, but neither was seriously spasmodically between 1810 and 1849. In the bridge had fallen in and on the strength of this, it is claimed, Congress 1849 a pile trestle bridge was completed was influenced to make the appropria-

When the river is finally improved city. This bridge was used from 1849 to above the bridge there will be a channel practically from abutment to abut- and manifestos show clearly that the state for India sent him to the oriental the raising of the new bridge to its pres-In 1875 Congress appropriated \$110,000 ent height will be a material asset to

CURIOUS LONDON CLUBS.

Queer Things That Members Were Expected to Do.

The days of quaint and queer clubs Club," whose titles are suggestive of The bridge was originally intended for the "Surly Club," whose object was the The "Man Hunting Club" was estab-

United States is Mrs.Russell Sage of New was good practice at the time. Follow- Of the "Lying Club," every member was musicians played band instruments, and they formed what was really the nucleus York city, whose methods of spending and they formed what was really the nucleus. York city, whose methods of spending and they formed what was really the nucleus. old Anacostia bridge was overstrained, so feather in it. The "Scatter-Wit Society" the great fortune her husband loved to much so that it was necessary to make consisted of wits. The "Hum-Dum most any other living individual. At presaccumulate must command the respect of special regulations in order to permit the Club" members were to say nothing till ent he is living in Paris, and he will plot tragedy. There was, he argued, no more everybody. She has called to her aid street cars to cross it, and when the midnight. The "Two-Penny Club" memthose best qualified to devise means by heavy cars were put on the bridge about bers if they swore were to be kicked performed other than ordinary routine which money can be employed to benefit two years ago, it became necessary to on the shins by the other members. limit the number of passengers, which The "Everlasting Club" has not lasted lishman remains in India. And English- sponsible for a crime committed by created considerable annoyance to the res- long. The "Kit-Cat Club" was known men have helped him to his end. So far of a similar crime. after its toasts of "Old Cats and Young his best friends have been his hated Of the "Beefsteak Club" the following

> Like Britain's island lies our steak. A sea of gravy bounds it; Shallots confusedly scattered make

> The rockwork that surrounds

Suspension of Habeas Corpus.

FOR POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS

gerous Conditions by the Recent Murder of Wyllie.

Special Cablegram to The Star. the Indian student Dhingra has opened with white, and his lips are snappy and system which they have a right to realso in Europe who exert every effort

and in India urge treason. In India these as my master. If I had organized openly ceive from some native princes. The names of these princes are known to the after his death I laid my plans." "Club of Beans," or a "Man Killing government. One of them no: many Krishna-varma eagerly turned to a weeks ago, explaining his position at a marked passage in "Ivanhoe," in which London dinner table, remarked: "I wonder allusion was made to the tyranny exerif ever I shall return to England after I cised, by the Norman conquerors over flames. leave this time. I doubt if the govern- Saxons. He paused for a moment, and ment would let me-if they knew." The his face lit up with the light of the government knows, but cannot act upon fanatic prophet, as he added-"and the their knowledge.

minds of the youth of India.

The Chief Conspirator.

Englishmen today are more interested in Shyamaji Krishna-varma than in alenemies. The British permitted him to organize his conspiracy effectively and untrammeled, allowed him and his emis- and everything that he had written in saries to come and go without question, the Indian Sociologist was based on his From the New York Times. while they prepared a dose of terror to works and on those of other English aube administered on their own doorsteps. India is remote, and assassinations there

moved, but also all of the masonry within the bulkhead lines and all of the piles and rip-rap that will interfere with navigation.

The floor of the new bridge is twenty-two feet higher than that of the old bridge, and this was done in order to permit practically all river craft to pass under it without raising the draw, thereby decreasing very much the annoyance while hear and but little effect on the English left it?

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Krishna-varma at his headquarters on the outskirts of Paris, a distinguished French editor was informed of the India.

Well then," says Krishna-varma, "we will then," says Krishna-varma, "we will kill in London."

Early last December, while interviewing Krishna-varma at his headquarters on the outskirts of Paris, a distinguished French editor was informed of the India in Sconspiracy to drive the British feet, it may have some falls and bruises, but it will walk at last. So it would be "Look here," said the arch-conspirator, with India."

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as he held up a small printed sheet little. The English had passed through a troularger than a theater program: "this is bleous training, what with the civil war, what is frightening England." The sheet, the commonwealth and the revolution, and was the Indian Sociologist, a monthly now they were as independent as they paper printed in English by an English could possibly be. So it was with the paper, printed in English by an English could possibly be. So it was with the firm in England, for several years cir- French after a series of revolutions. But culating free and untrammeled among the English had bed this advantage over the Indian students in London, and until continental nations, that they had not recently distributed in India.

> having arranged his finances, voluntarily constitution. India would have her trials, exiled himself from England and every but it would all come right in the end. other part of the British empire, and took up his residence in Paris, where he gath- tach any importance to the grievance of ered together his colleagues in treason some of his fellow-countrymen in India, Since that time he has been active in dis- that they are not admitted by the English ing the organization which is to terrorize

Man of Education.

over fifty years of age. His complexion is swarthy; he is a man of great stature. LONDON, August 13.-The recent assas- and he dresses like a clergyman. His Krishna-varma argues that his fellowsination of Sir William Curzon Wylie by black hair and beard are well streaked countrymen are subjected to an arbitrary the eyes of all England to the dangerous pertinacious. His study is burdened with condition of affairs existing in the Indian books and papers lying around in apparempire. Every effort is being made to ory, trained in his youth by Brahman ascertain whether the murderer acted on priests, enables him to place his finger his own initiative or as the agent of con- immediately on any quotation or manuspirators. The documents found upon the script required. His early training was prisoner and in his ledging threw no made a special study of Sanscrit, which light on this problem. Apart from native he read and wrote perfectly before he was vocated the incriminating documents are pointed assistant professor of Sanscrit at Oxford, and became the first Indian M. A. in Dhingra's own writing. These letters at that university. The specretary of dian states. This is the man who today and employ every means to poison the is the implacable enemy of England.

seed sown will be harvested soon." The prophecy has been fulfilled, and the narvest" has begun.

After the murder of Sir Curzon Wylke Krishna-varma declared that it was exbe in any respect responsible for this wholesale, so long as a governing Eng- would be in holding a newspaper reperson who had read therein an account

Disciple of Herbert Spencer. He was a disciple of Herbert Spencer,

thorities on such matters. his contention. In this month's number

of his review, in an article headed "International Law and the Ethics of Force." the following passage occurs: 'A brief statement of our case. At the

good opinion of almost all our old friends and acquaintances in England, and of some of our wast helpmates in India, we repeat that collticul assassination is not murder, and that the rightful employment defensively against force used aggressive- Bible. ly,' as aptly expressed by the late Hon. Auberon Herbert in his Herber. Spencer cture at Oxford in 1906."

be cited and not the first portion alone Spanish Mozarabe, is a corruption of the for fair interpretation.

being quite immaterial what means we the Mozarabic.

employed for causing the death. Taking It was on the private press, specially the word 'legally' as synonymous with set up by Cardinal Nimenes, that these 'justiy' and 'equitably.' I repeat that the two books, which are first editions, were people of India have sustained wrongful printed, and De Bare, the distinguished loss of their property at the hands of the Bibliagraphic Instructive, the British, whose cause in India the late founder of the positivist community in of these editions were printed specially London believed to be unjust, that of the for use in the Mozarable chapel in the Hindus just, as the legitimate effort of a relebrated Cathedral of Toledo, one of nation to shake off an oppressive yoke, and he solemnly advised his own countrymen. The books are considered fine copies, the in the memorable year 1857 to withdraw only defect being the neatly repaired from their occupation of India without blank margins in the calendar of the any necessary delay within the shortest Missa'. They were originally in the liperiod compatible with due arrangements brary of Louis Jean Caignat, and were for the security of European life and property, and with such measures as shall over these treasurer was spirited, and Indian independence and good govern- the book collectors and dealers who This passage is followed by quotations

from Herbert Spencer. Conquests by England.

He collected proofs to show, particularly in reference to India, that by the Eng- From the Cleveland Plain Dealer. lish "all conquest and annexations have "Good gracious, isn't that your husalone." He saw no crime "in the en- with the man on the opposite porch?" Servility and obsequiousness caused de- gins is a biplanist."

known invasion for centuries, and this Eighteen months ago Krishna-varma, had left them in peace to build up their Krishna-Varma does not seem to at-

seminating his teachings and in complet- to social intimacy. He remarks that their habits, manners and customs are so widely different that they can never understand each other. But what he does declaim against is what he terms arbi-Krishna-varma was born in the year of trary arrest and the suspension of habeas the Indian mutiny, and is, consequently, corpus, and he argues that if a man receives a blow it is his duty to return it as the striker may, if he refrains, be led on to assault other people. In conclusion,

TALL AFRICAN GRASS.

Beautiful Scenes at Night on the Veldt When Fire Spreads. From the Springfield Republican.

Unlike a good deal of South Africa, newspapers in which treason is openly ad- thirty years of age. In 1878 he was ap- Rhodesia is largely wooded. In some places the forests are of value, but a large proportion are not valued for their timber. The grass in this part of Africa ment of the new bridge, and, therefore, engineering student had fallen under the congress at Berlin as official delegate, and grows to phenomenal height in the valinfluence of men not only in India but on returning to India he held office as leys, and especially in the valleys of the prime minister successively in three In- Sabi and Zambesi rivers it reaches its greatest height. To say that the grass is "I would have begun my work for the often twelve feet high is no exaggeration. Dhingra accepted as his leaders men who in Europe profess peaceful agitation for one fact. I regarded Herbert Spencer enough to stray from the beaten track. enough to stray from the beaten track. men are the leaders of parties so small for the freedom of India during his life off each year when it gets dry. This is that they would be insignificant and in- it would have been said that his teach- usually in August and September, or even capable of harm were it net for the sup- ings were responsible, and much unin October. Fires burn for miles, and port, moral and financial, that they re- pleasantness might have attended his old in October. Fires burn for miles, and age in consequence. Almost immediately as the country is largely a wilderness age in consequence almost immediately 1. ttle damage is done by this method of destroying the grass. It is a beautiful sight at night in the fire season to see the hills for miles around encircled with

> After the grass has been burned the rainy season usually begins, and it is then that the country is at its prettiest. The grass is then green and the foliage on the trees is beautiful. The old leaves drop off gradually and the new ones take their place before the trees are bare. The new leaves are of all shades of the rainbow, tremely unfair that he should be held to and it is much like the fall scenery in this country when the dead leaves are falling from the trees. Waterfalls are revolt, and incite to murder, retail and logic in such a proceeding than there numerous in the mountains, and there are are usually small in volume.

TWO BOOKS SELL FOR \$6,250. Published in 1500 by Cardinal Francisco Ximenes de Cisneros.

Two extremely rare liturgical books so'd for \$6.259 at Sotheby's, in London, To one or two passages of his writings recently. They are a Mozarabic Missal he drew special accention in support of and a Mozarable Brevlary, published respectively in 1500 and 1502 at Toledo. Spain, by the famous cardinal and statesman Francisco Ximenes de Cisneros, who was the confessor of Queen Isabella of risk of alienating the sympathies and Castile, the patron of Christopher Columbus, and who prented at a cost of onehalf a million ducats the "Complutenslan Polyglot," the first edition of the Christian Scriptures in the original text, comof physical force denotes force used mony known as the great first Polyglot

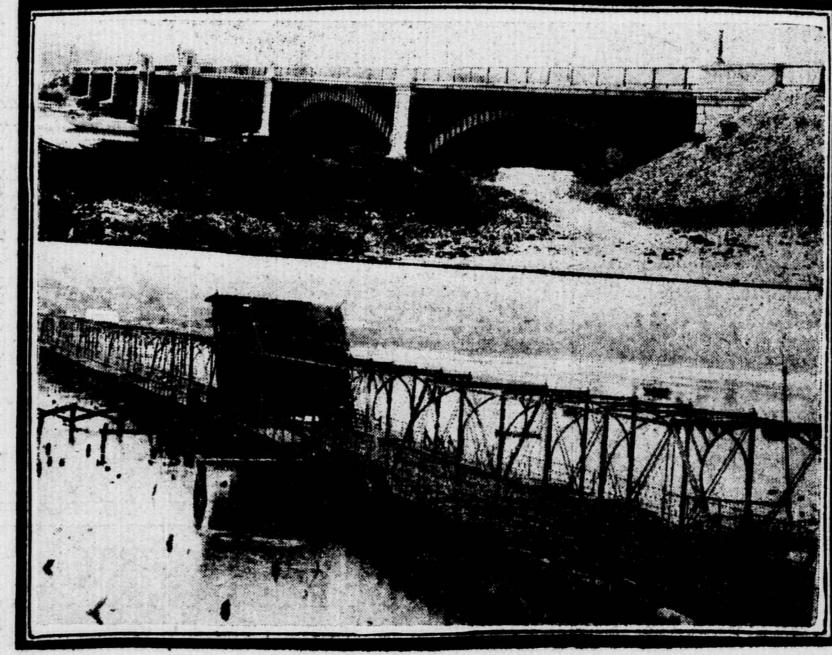
These two Mozarabic books were produced for the Spanish Christians under The whole passage, he insisted, must the domination of the Moors. Mozarab. Arabic Mustarib, or Mustariba, denoting Another extract upon which he laid persons not Arab by race, but who asparticular stress is taken from his letter similate themselves with the Arabs, and to the Masters of the Bench of the Junior, was applied by the Moslems in Spain to Temple, published in the June number of the Christian communities among them the Indian S. c'ologist. It ran as follows: in Cordova, Seville, Toledo and other "Section 103 of the Indian penal code clies in the exercise of their own laws recognizes the right of private defense of property, which extends in cases of robbery, etc., to legally causing the death or other harm to the wrongder it is the wrongder. any other harm to the wrongdoer, it the Moslem yoke, is commonly known as

be deemed advisable in the interest of created somewhat of a sensetion among crowded the auction room. The prizes finally were knocked down to Quaritch, the London book dealer.

The Argument of the Future.

been made from base and selfish motives band across the street there quarreling deavor of Indians to throw off the foreign "Oh, they're not really quarreling. yoke." Loyalty, Krishna-varma contend- They dispute that way every night. ed, bred lying and dishonest characters. George is a monoplanist and Mr. Stig-

THE NEW AND THE OLD.



agitation between the laber unions and Hoax-The world would never have UPPER PICTURE SHOWS THE SPLENDID NEW ANACOSTIA BRIDGE; THE LOWER THE OLD-TIME SCARRED STRUCTURE.